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Myself

Logan, Utah

November 29, 2017

“Haunted Sisters House”

Folk Belief

Informant: My name is Alexis Robb and I am a Sophomore here at Utah State University, studying Psychology. I was born in Ogden, Utah, and shortly after I was born my family moved to Logan, Utah, we have been here ever since and love it! I enjoy playing volleyball, hiking, spending time with friends, and I love to travel and explore new places! Adventure is most definitely my middle name, well maybe not really, but it should be. I also enjoy spending time with me family and we are very close!

Context: A very strange occurrence, dare I even say, “Paranormal thing” happened at my sisters old red brick home in Hyde park back in October. I have always had a weird creepy feeling when I go to their house. Especially when I go there alone to take care of there four dogs and four cats when they are out of town. I always get a sinking feeling in my stomach and I feel that someone is watching me or is in the house, I was told a long time ago that if you feel a breeze and get the shivers for no apparent reason a spirit is near. At her house that happens a lot. So, when I go I turn on all the lights and surround myself by the animals for a safe feeling. Well this one particular- night started out with the same creepy feeling, but proved to make a turn for the worse and to this day it still terrifies me to be alone at her house I will not do it.

Text: Whenever my sister and her family go out of town they ask me to watch there four cats and four dogs, with that many animals who wouldn’t fell protected by themselves? Well, one night I arrived too the house and I got a sinking feeling in my stomach like I always do at her creepy old house [Shiver from goose bumps] I fed the animals and went downstairs to watch a movie, all the animals were around me and everything was fine for a while until some of the cats went upstairs’, not a huge deal but since I’m already paranoid every noise they make scared me. I kept hearing thumps like they kept jumping off the counters and they were meowing quite a bit. I just stayed watching my movie trying to assure myself it was nothing and If it was something maybe I didn’t want to find out. I suddenly heard an alarm like noise it was high pitched, I immediately called my sister, hesitant to go upstairs to investigate and I tried to hold the phone up to the noise and she freaked out and said get the animals and get out! Its probably the carbon monoxide alarm!! So, I ran upstairs’ and all the animals followed, probably thinking they were going to

get a treat. I let them out the door directly above the stairs and I turned to go to the dining table in the kitchen to grab my keys where I typically leave them on my way in the house. I was in shock at what I found, I found the fridge wide open, freezer and fridge side!! It was making a noise from being open for so long! I know yours probably thinking that's not that scary, well I never opened the fridge, and I most definitely didn't open the freezer! At this point I was still on the phone with my sister. I thought someone was in the house and I searched every room while she was on the other line. I found nothing. To this day, she does not believe me, and she thinks I left the fridge open accidentally. There is no way I did that, I payed no attention to the fridge, whatsoever. I will never know how to explain what happened, there is no way the cats could open this fridge, no possible way. Other than it being supernatural I have no excuse.

Texture: Thinking back to this day, it literally gives me chills. As I type this I feel uncomfortable and my parents are sitting close by. I will never know how it happened and maybe its best if I don't. It's not something I try to think about to often but when something similar happens or I encounter something creepy online I think back to this experience. My sister and her husband say that nothing like that has ever happened to them in that house and that they don't get a weird feeling by living there however, and that makes the experience even creepier in a lot of ways.

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